

POLICE RAIDED BY DILLINGER

Highway Department and Judge Mauney Turn Down Bridge Plea

Director Rhyme Says Department Can't Intervene—Mauney Declares Contract With Nevada Is Closed

Replies to letters written to the State Highway Department and County Judge Walter J. Mauney of Pike county protesting the location of the old Murfreesboro bridge on a direct line between Delight and Prescott, eliminating Hope from participation, were made public Friday by Syd McMath, secretary of the Young Business Men's association.

Age No Barrier to True Romance as Matron Finds It

Widow of Col. Jacob Astor Weds Italian Boxing Instructor

FIFI STILLMAN 53

And Harold Vanderbilt at 49 Takes unto Himself a Bride

This is the second of a series of six stories on "Love Begins at 40," telling how prominent personages have flouted the theory that romance belongs only to youth.

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Those who have seen Madeline Force Astor Dick Fiermonte on the beach at Bermuda say it is impossible to believe that she is a matron of 40 and the mother of three grown sons.

And that youthfulness of appearance is matched by a youthfulness of mind and spirit which have enabled her at 40 to try marriage with a man 16 years her junior.

He is Russ Fiermonte, Italian boxer, who has been instructing Mrs. Dick's sons in the family art.

But Mrs. Fiermonte knows what she is doing. For she has seen the problem work out successfully; helped work it out, in fact. She was herself a debutante when she married the famous Colonel John Jacob Astor, a man almost old enough to be her father.

This marriage was highly successful until the heroic death of Colonel Astor in the Titanic disaster, when he helped place his young wife in a lifeboat and then stepped back among the other men to drown.

Chorus Her Own Course

His widow proved a few years later that she was one who knew her own mind, sacrificing the Astor mansion and much of the estate to marry a childhood acquaintance from Brooklyn, William K. Dick, who, though wealthy, was no match in wealth or social position for the Astors.

Divorced, she now again has shown that fearless independence by marrying young Fiermonte, and placing herself in the same relative position in which her first husband had been when he married her.

At 40, Mrs. Madeline Force Astor Dick Fiermonte found herself no less willing to follow the call of love than she had been when she was a debutante.

Despite family opposition, or at least coolness, love has begun again for her—at 40.

Romance Begins in Reno

It was at Reno that it first became apparent that Mrs. Astor-Dick was again yielding to the blandishments of romance. She was there to get her divorce from Dick; Fiermonte was there getting his decree from Tosca Fiermonte at Reno.

The two were seen constantly in the Reno area, driving about in Fiermonte's roadster. Both divorces granted, Mrs. Astor-Dick went to Hamilton, Bermuda, where she maintains a home.

One night she slipped on a polished floor, broke her shoulder, and had to be removed to Doctors' Hospital in New York. And it was at the hospital, in the presence of the bride's three grown sons, that the wedding ceremony took place.

From Mansions to Barn

Come to a farm six miles down a mud road from Barrington, Ill. There, living in a few rooms in a barn while their house is being remodeled, you will find Mrs. Anne U. Stillman McCormick and her husband, Fowler McCormick.

Here is a woman who has been married to two multi-millionaires, and who is now seriously taking up, at 56, the duties of a farm wife with a husband 20 years younger than she.

When rumors of her marriage to Fowler McCormick first began to be noised about, Mrs. Stillman herself pointed out that she was 53, just to emphasize "how ridiculous the rumors are."

Yet this woman, who had reason to be distrustful of Cupid because of the long and painful suits she had to go through with James Stillman over paternity of their son, Guy, found romance none the less, though it was through her grown son that she met

The letters follow:

From Director Rhyme
In reply to your letter regarding the proposed location of a bridge across the Little Missouri river south of Delight, I can see no reason whatever why this department should have any interest in the location of this bridge.

Very truly yours, JAMES H. RHYME, Director of Highways.

From Judge Mauney
Your letter in regard to the old bridge was received a few days ago. In reply, I have already made a contract with Judge Wortham of Nevada county to replace this bridge about three-quarters of a mile east of the Hempstead county line. I offered this bridge to Judge Stephens, your county judge, and he advised me at that time he was not able. Later I made a deal with Judge Wortham of Nevada county.

Any time I can cooperate with Hempstead county to build another bridge in that section or between Hempstead and Pike counties I will be glad to do so, as far as my funds will permit. You can rest assured that I am interested in a bridge between Billstown and Bowen, and hope that we can form some plan to put it over. Yours truly, WALTER J. MAUNEY, Pike County Judge.

Submitted Last Summer
Judge Mauney offered the Bowen's Crossing location, suitable to Hope, to the Hempstead county judge last summer, and it was published in the columns of Hope Star and was laid before Hope city committees—with-out action.

It was determined that no one county, and possibly no two counties, could afford to reconstruct the bridge without extra funds being available, probably through the federal government.

An effort was made, therefore, to reach a compromise as to location with Pike and Nevada counties—but before that could be obtained the contract was closed by Pike and Nevada for the location too far east to be of value to Hempstead and Hope.

What further action the Young Business Men's association would take with respect to the giving away of state property, as occurred when the state surrendered the old Murfreesboro bridge to Pike county, remained uncertain Friday.

It is contended locally that the state had no right to give away property belonging to all the taxpayers, to be used by two county judges against the trade interests of a third county.

When Roosevelt Took Nutmeg State It Was Bad News for Greek

A promise to himself and his fellow countrymen "up in Connecticut" started Emmanuel Janedis, Greek boxer, on a long journey that brought him to Hope and will terminate in Los Angeles, Calif., if all goes well.

Janedis limped into this city at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon pushing a 60-pound stone in a rubber-tired pushcart painted red, white and blue, and flying the American flag.

The stone will be left at the Los Angeles city hall Janedis will take a train back home, a "free man."

Janedis is fulfilling a promise he made that if Roosevelt carried Connecticut in the last presidential election he would push the cart all the way from his home in Litchfield, Conn., to Los Angeles, Calif.

He has been on the road since September 6. He said Friday that he was about two and a half months behind his original schedule.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:
REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.



Not all girls looking for matches are smokers.

Barrow's Hot Springs Hideout Raided

6 Men, 3 Women Taken With Rich Loot in \$20 Bills

But None of Prisoners Prove to Be Southwestern Deperado

ON GUARD IN HOPE

Police All Through This Section Turn Out to Watch Highways

HOT SPRINGS, Ark.—(AP)—Six men and three women were arrested during and after a raid on a reported hideout of Clyde Barrow, Texas desperado, here Friday—but Chief of Detectives Huebert Akers said none of the men was Barrow.

In the apartment house where four men and two women were seized Akers said a basket-bag of \$20 bills was found hidden. He estimated they amounted to \$3,000 or \$4,000.

Two men and one woman were arrested later with a small baby on a highway a few miles from Hot Springs. Akers said some of the men had prison records, but were not connected with any widely-known criminal gang.

The prisoners gave the name of Guy Taylor, Jesse Grover Butts, Andrew McDaniel, Frank Montgomery, Bill H. Thorne and Clifford Kell. The women were the wives of Thorne, Kell and Taylor, and the child belonged to Thorne.

On Guard in Hope
First reports of the raid received here said a man answering Barrow's description, a woman, and another man, had escaped Hot Springs officers and were headed in this direction.

City and county officers were stationed at points between here and Prescott. Two department of justice officers, who have watched the Fulton toll bridge for nearly a week, were notified to be on the lookout.

However, the Barrow report proved false.

Tax Expert to Be Here April 24-25

W. R. White Will Assist Local Taxpayers With Returns

Hope is included in a schedule of dates on which auditors for the income tax division of the State Revenue Department will assist taxpayers in preparing their income tax returns for the calendar year 1933, according to Joe Bond, director of the income tax division.

W. R. White, auditor for the department, will be in Hope on Tuesday and Wednesday, April 24 and 25, to assist Hempstead county taxpayers in making their returns for the year.

The time for filing 1933 returns will expire May 15. All partnerships and corporations doing business in the state are required to make returns, regardless of the amount of profit or loss sustained. Single individuals with incomes of \$1,500 or more and married individuals with incomes of \$2,500 or more must make returns or be subject to drastic penalties.

A list of taxpayers whose 1932 returns are delinquent is being prepared. Mr. Bond said, and returns for that year are being required. He also said that delinquent collections this year are in excess of that for previous years.

HOPE TRACK TEAM

Off to Texarkana

Bobcats Leave Friday for Dual Field Meet There

Coach Teddy Jones' Bobcat track team will see action Friday afternoon in the first dual track and field meet of the season, scheduled at 4 o'clock at Bohman Athletic field, Texarkana.

Opponents for the Bobcats will be Texarkana (Ark.) High school. Friday afternoon's meet will mark the first track event for the Bobcats. Two weeks ago the Texarkana team dropped a triangular meet to Nashville.

Two weeks from Saturday the district 10 contests will be held at Texarkana.

Coach Jones and more than two scores of athletes left Hope shortly after noon. He made no announcement of his entries.

Southwest "Team of Terrors"



nanue rarker, southwest gun moll, known as "Suicide Sal," was in playful mood when this picture was snapped. She was shown her companion, believed to be Clyde Barrow, much-wanted bandit, her technique in handling a gun. The picture was found in an outlaw hideout in Joplin, Mo., after the Barrow gang had shot their way out of a trap. Clyde and Bonnie are targets for an intensive hunt throughout the southwest.

Baptists to Build Education Building

Board of Deacons Will Meet Monday on Building Plans

The Sunday school of First Baptist church will not discontinue any of its departments because of the burning of the building. The classes are being temporarily combined, and all ages are still meeting with their own department.

Last Sunday's attendance, in spite of the fire, reached 403. The teachers and officers showed increased enthusiasm at the weekly council meeting on Wednesday and expressed a determination to make this a great season of Sunday school work, according to the pastor, the Rev. Wallace R. Rogers.

The board of deacons will meet on Monday to begin the work of providing an adequate education building for the church. The plans committee will study carefully the buildings and equipment of Sunday schools in other cities and will make every effort to construct a plant that will meet the demands of a growing city.

The pastor will preach at both services on Sunday, using as his morning subject, "No Harvest Without Planting," and for the evening service, "The Revolution of a New Birth." At the conclusion of the evening service the ordinance of baptism will be administered by the pastor.

Storks Will Open With Shreveport

First Game at Fair Park to Begin 3 P. M. Sunday

After two weeks of practice, Manager Lloyd Coop of the Stork baseball team announced Friday that the first game of the season would be played here Sunday against the Morris-Dixon nine of Shreveport. Starting time will be 3 o'clock.

The Hope team, Manager Coop said, is "strictly an amateur club operating on a non-salary organization."

The grandstand has been repaired and put in good condition for future games. The grounds have been worked and are in good shape.

The probable line-up was announced as:

Sparks and McClelland, catchers; Urban V. Schooley, W. Cook, Crawford and L. Coop, infielders; Johnny Allen, C. Schooley, DeHann and McDowell, outfielders; Velvin Madison and Elliott, pitchers.

Fiddlers' Contest Draws a Capacity Audience Thursday

7:30 P. M. Program Is Climax to Successful Trade Day

OVER FIFTY ENTRIES

Hutson, Kent and May Award the Prizes

Climaxing Trade Day activities, a musical and old fiddler's contest drew a capacity crowd Thursday night to city hall auditorium. The program started at 7:30 and lasted until after midnight.

Attorney Steve Carrigan delivered the welcome address, and M. L. Nelson of Blevins, acted as master of ceremonies.

Acting as judges were Wash Hutson, John Kent and Thurman May. Prizes were awarded the winners immediately after the closing contest. More than 50 contestants competed for honors.

Here are the winners:
Best string band—Willhoit's band of Washington, \$20.

Second best string band—Harold Robert's band of Hope, \$10.

Best song with guitar—H. Hunt, \$1. Best duet and accompaniment—Irene Fern and Brady Cook, \$2.

Best yodler—Kenneth Blevins, awarded pair of overalls by L. C. Blevins & Company.

Oldest fiddler—Jim Ward, awarded 45-pound sack of flour by J. L. Williams & Company.

Youngest fiddler—Monroe Grant and "Dub" Pinegar, tied, \$1 each.

Best trick fiddler—C. C. May, \$1. Best allround fiddler—Lon Edwards, 45-pound sack of flour by Landes Supply company.

Ugliest fiddler—John Ridgick, \$1. Best buck and wing dancer—C. Dunn, \$1.

Best tap dancer—Jerry Smith, \$1. Best comical song—Jack and Jill Paschke, \$1.

Best wagoner on violin—Magnolia A. & M. college band, three pounds of coffee by Stephenson's grocery.

Best Maggie on violin—C. C. May, \$1 in merchandise by Boswell's Bargain House.

Best mixed quartette—Bodcaw High School, \$4.

Best male quartette—Mope High School, \$1.

Best piano solo—Alvis Fuller, \$1.

Actress Is Given \$5,000 Heart Balm

Convinces Jurors Harry Brown Jilted Her for Sally Eilers

LOS ANGELES.—(AP)—Marjorie White, known to the screen as Marjorie Gay, was awarded a judgment of \$5,000 against Harry Joe Brown, motion picture director, by a Superior Court jury Thursday night on her charge that he had jilted her to marry Sally Eilers, film actress.

The case was given to a jury of seven women and five men.

Counsel for the actress, whose screen name is Marjorie Gay, told the jury that Brown and Miss White had even planned the kind of house they would live in and talked of having children. She accused the director of breach of promise and asked \$100,000.

Brown's lawyer made much of the fact that Miss White never said in testimony she loved Brown or had agreed to marry him. The lawyer, C. E. Millikan, asked the jurors if they did not consider it "peculiar" that she "never told a soul" she and the director were going to be married.

Congressmen Greet President at Depot

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—President Roosevelt was welcomed back from his Florida vacation Friday by some 200 members of congress who met him at the station.

"I can't be truthful and say I am glad to get back," he told them jocularly when the cheering subsided.

"While I've had a wonderful time I gather that both houses of congress have also had a wonderful time."

Rotary to Enter Donkey Baseball

Will Meet Kiwanians April 25—Y. B. M. A. Meet Winners on 26th

Roy Stephenson was introduced on the Rotary club program Friday noon, in Hotel Barlow as one of the active figures responsible for a successful Trade Day here Thursday, in the initial event of the newly-formed Young Business Men's association.

Tribute was paid Mr. Stephenson by Robert Morris, who introduced him.

Mr. Stephenson responded by challenging the Rotary club to enter a team in the donkey baseball tournament which will be held here Wednesday and Thursday, April 25-26, under auspices of the Young Business Men's association. Rotary was challenged to meet a Kiwanis team on Wednesday, with the Young Business Men meeting the winner on Thursday. The Rotary club immediately accepted the challenge.

The speaker also urged a revival of the town band, declaring its need was felt greatly during the Trade Day event Thursday.

E. F. McFadden gave the club an interesting account of his attendance last week-end at a meeting of the Aims and Objectives Committee of Rotary International in Chicago.

Mr. McFadden, past district governor of Arkansas, is chairman of the Club Service Committee, a division of the larger committee.

He told an interesting story of Rotary performance in Bolivia and Paraguay, as reported to the Chicago conference. These two South American countries were at war, and the Bolivian Rotarians took it upon themselves to look after the Paraguayan prisoners, while the Paraguayan Rotarians did as much for the imprisoned men of Bolivia.

Mr. McFadden reported on the results of a world-wide study of the problem of modern youth, which he said, disclosed that all nations are today confronted by it. It being up to Mr. McFadden's committee to make a recommendation to Rotary International on this question, he brought the results of the survey home to Hope, turned them over to Coach Teddy Jones of Hope High School, and had Mr. Jones make some recommendations.

They were so timely that they ultimately will be written into the Rotary International program, although anonymously. Mr. McFadden said, Youth will continue to be full of new ideas, often in conflict with the older generation, the speaker said, but it is Rotary's object to make sure that the rising generation holds fast to the few fundamentals which have stood the test of time in all generations. Among these he named: Honesty, a sense of right and wrong, fair dealing and others.

A guest of the club Friday was Harry Millspaugh, Rotarian of Norwich, N. Y.

Bankhead Bill to Come Up Monday

Restored to Original Form and Will Be Passed Next Week

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—Conferees Thursday reached an agreement on the Bankhead cotton control bill which restored it virtually to the form in which it passed the house.

The measure's aim is to limit the cotton market from the 1931 crop to 10,000,000 bales. Only two or three minor adjustments in the bill were retained.

Senator Bankhead, Democrat, Alabama, who will have charge of the conference report in the senate, said he planned to call the bill up not "later than Monday." He said he was confident that the report would be approved "without difficulty."

Chairman Jones of the house agriculture committee probably will call the bill up.

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Four Bullet-Proof Vests Are Seized at Indiana Station

Outlaw Slugs Policeman, Gets Vests and Revolvers, Escapes

BANKS ARE IN FEAR

Wholesale Robberies Followed Two Previous Ammunition Raids

WARSAW, Ind.—(AP)—A man identified as John Dillinger led a machine-gun raid on the Warsaw police station Friday, slugged a policeman, stole four bullet-proof vests and two revolvers, and got away.

Jud Pittenger, the slugged policeman, said he was quite positive one of the two raiders was the Indiana wooden-gun desperado.

He recognized the other from photographs as Homer Van Meter, paroled Indiana convict and a member of Dillinger's original gang of bandits.

The raid, the third such foray in small Indiana cities credited to Dillinger's mob, put police and bank officials on edge.

Similar raids at Auburn and Peru, last October preceded bank robberies in Wisconsin and two Indiana cities.

Futrell Uncertain on School Action

Urges Commission to Proceed—But Keeps Own Hands Free

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—Governor Futrell told his special commission on school problems Friday he would not necessarily commit himself to support any recommendations made for raising revenue or changing the system.

He said he had a number of changes to make in the proposed constitutional amendment he submitted to the commission two weeks ago and made it plain he was not entirely convinced that a sales tax ought to be levied to finance the grade school system as outlined previously.

The governor indicated, however, that any tax raised by the amendment should be so levied that the legislature would not divert it from school purposes.

He also said he favored examination and not scholastic attainments as the basis for selection of teachers.

Robber Slain, and Cousin Arrested

Little Rock Police Identify Oklahomans After Running Fight

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—A man killed in a gun battle Thursday night was identified Friday as A. L. Defer, 28, of Tishomingo, Okla., by a man arrested Friday who identified himself as Estus Leon Defer, 21, of Culbert, Okla., cousin of the slain man.

The prisoner said his cousin served a prison sentence in Oklahoma for grand larceny.

The two Defers, police said, opened fire on officers as the latter sought to halt their automobile here and arrest them for a filling station robbery at Benton earlier Thursday night.

A running gun fight followed in which the elder Defer was slain and Estus escaped. Estus was captured in the local railroad yards while attempting to board a train Friday.

Markets Hope Cotton Exchange

New York Cotton
Open High Low Close
May 11.92 11.93 11.81 11.84-85
July 12.02 12.04 11.95 11.95-97
May down 4 points from previous close.

New Orleans Cotton
May 11.96 11.96 11.88 11.88
July 12.01 12.01 11.95 11.97-98
May down 7 points from previous close.

Chicago Grain
Wheat—May 84 84 84 84
Corn—May 46 46 46 46
Oats—May 30 30 30 30
Closing Stock Quotations
American Smelter 45
American Can 104
Am. Tel. & Tel. 120 1/2
Anaconda 53 1/2

Little Rock Produce
Hens, heavy breeds, per lb. 9 to 10
Hens, Leghorn breeds, per lb. 8 to 9
Springers, per lb. 7 to 8
Broilers, per lb. 6 to 7
Roosters, per lb. 5 to 6
Ducks, per lb. 6 to 7
Geese, per lb. 6 to 7
Turkeys, per lb. 12 to 13
Eggs, per dozen 11 to 12

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Sunshine

Never once—since the world began,
Has the sun ever stopped shining;
His face very often we could not see,
And we grumbled at his inconsistency,
But the clouds were really to blame,
Not He,
For behind them he was shining,
Away so behind life's darkest clouds
The sun is always shining;
We veil it at times with our faithless
fears,
And darken our sight with our foolish
tears,
But in time the atmosphere always
clears,
For His love is always shining.
—Selected.

Mrs. S. M. Pankey of Emmet was a Thursday shopper in the city, seeing the matinee at the Saenger.

Mrs. J. R. Williams and Mrs. Ched Hall left Friday morning for DeQueen where they will attend the Presbyterian, convening in that city this week.

Mrs. Arch Moore, Mrs. J. W. Strickland, Mrs. George Sandefur and Miss Lucy Boyd were among the Thursday visitors in Texarkana.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Repley are spending a few days on a business trip to St. Louis.

Grady Henry of Greenville, Texas, was the Tuesday guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Henry.

Mrs. S. G. Norton, Mrs. David Davis, Mrs. Aline Johnson, Mrs. A. C. Whitehurst and Miss Mabel Ethridge were recent visitors in Highland.

Miss Dove Knotts entertained at a very delightful surprise shower on Thursday evening, complimenting Mrs. Henry Summerville a popular bride of this month. Beautiful spring flowers were used in brightening the rooms, and the honoree's chair was marked with lovely flowers and a large box of white maline. Following an inspection of the many pretty and useful gifts, the hostess invited her guests to Moreland's where delicious refreshments were served.

Mrs. J. T. Hicks spent Thursday in Fulton and Texarkana.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church will hold their

regular monthly meeting at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon at the church.

Mrs. S. H. Briant, Mrs. Herbert Morely, Mrs. Roy Anderson, Mrs. Carter Johnson, Miss Elnora Fontaine and Miss Annie Allen motored to DeQueen on Thursday to attend the Presbyterian, in session in that city, Wednesday and Friday of this week.

Mrs. Edward Woodford and little daughter, Nancy Jane and Susan Ann of Little Rock arrived Friday to spend the week end with Misses Marie and Nannie Purkins.

An unusually interesting meeting of the Junior-Senior High P. T. A. was held on Thursday afternoon at the high school building, with Mrs. Ralph Rounton presiding over the business period. A program of outstanding interest was presented by Miss Ruth Taylor, home economics teacher. The president's message was read by Miss Elise Reid. Mrs. W. M. Garner presented an exhibit of homecoming equipment by gone days, featured with a pair of old fashioned cards for combining cotton demonstrated by Mrs. W. G. Bright, and an old spinning wheel, which was demonstrated by Mrs. J. H. Garner. Then followed a very interesting talk on "How We Were Taught for Homecoming" by Mrs. Anne Lykette. Mrs. Lykette also received the prize for being the oldest homemaker of yesterday present. Miss Cornelia Whitehurst read a paper on "Modern Homemakers Follow the Bible." Miss Freda Mae Jones gave a reading entitled, "Home." Mrs. J. A. Brady discussed "Why the Schools Should Train Girls of Today." Miss Taylor opened her program with a short talk on "Patterns for Homemakers."

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Payne and Mrs. Chas. Westerner visited relatives at Center Point and Dicks Friday.

Barton Dean of Topeka, Kan., was the Thursday night guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reed.

Mrs. Harold Ward and little son, Bobby, are spending this week in New York City, visiting with Miss Whitfield Cannon, who is a student in Columbia University.

BANKHEAD BILL

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up the bill soon after the senate acts. If both houses approve the revised measure it will go to the White House. President Roosevelt favors the bill. Here are the principal provisions of the latest draft of the measure: The bill's life is limited to one year, but if two-thirds of the cotton growers favor such action it may be extended another year. Tax on cotton in excess of the 10,000,000-bale allotment is 50 per cent of the value of the cotton. The tax will be applied when the cotton is sold and not at the time it is ginned. The measure contains stiff penal provisions for violations. These were riddled in the senate bill and restored in conference.

AGE NO BARRIER

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her present husband. Serious About Farming The McCormicks are serious about their farm venture. They figure that Fowler McCormick of the International Harvester McCormicks, ought to know about farming from the furrow up. And they're learning it. Happy and romantic at 56? "I've got the most attractive husband in Chicago," beams Anne. "He's the nicest and clearest, too." "That's the nice thing about modern marriages. When people stay married these days, the world knows it's because they mean it. Years ago husbands and wives were kept together by convention and a fear of what people would say. "Now nothing but love and mutual satisfaction makes a marriage a success," Anne McCormick certainly seems to be making a success of hers—at 56.

Flinds Romance at 49 The upper ranks of society are full of examples of people who refused to say goodbye to love just because they had reached an age which the "flapper era" of the early nineteen twenties used to consider old-fogeyish. Harold Vanderbilt, for instance, regarded for 30 years as America's most eligible bachelor, waited until he was 49 before he dived off the deep end.

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For Indigestion
Four ways to relief in three minutes
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"The Rexall Store"
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Harriman Given Giant NRA Task



A tremendous task in the recovery program has been assigned to Harold E. Harriman, above, son of the late E. H. Harriman, famed rail magnate. In changing NRA from a code-making to a code-enforcing agency, Harriman will supervise compliance, enforcement, and code authority procedure.

His marriage to Gertrude L. Conaway of Philadelphia was the sensation of last season, a romance that ripened after 10 years of congenial friendship.

Written off for years as a hopeless bachelor by ambitious matrons with eligible daughters, Harold Vanderbilt found that 49 was no hopeless age.

The ranks of society are started with persons who refuse to recognize age as a bar to love. Colonel Henry Brockbridge, fence, diplomat, attorney, military man and Colonel Lindbergh's confidante; Irving to Bush, New York financier and philanthropist; and many other social leaders are living proofs that roscods need not necessarily be gathered at a tender age—that they may mature and bloom resplendently—at 40.

NEXT: Senators, governors, men of fame in public life—plenty of them have been able to discover romance in spite of public duties that fended off the arrows of Cupid until love began—after 40.

Higher Tax Rates Voted by Senate

Inheritance, Gift Levies Part of 480-Million Tax Bill

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—Moving toward a final vote on the big revenue bill, the senate Thursday hoisted taxes to a new peace-time high on inheritances, gifts, and corporation, and raised estimated revenue to be produced by the bill to approximately \$480,000,000.

With little debate, it voted 65 to 14 for higher inheritance taxes proposed by Senator La Follette, Republican, Wisconsin, and adopted 40 to 37 an amendment by Senator Borah, Republican, Idaho, repealing consolidated returns provisions in the existing law whereby corporations are permitted to make single returns for themselves and affiliates.

It rejected by 39 to 2 another Borah proposal to have holding corporations deducted from gross income dividends on stock received from other corporations.

The senate approved another schedule by La Follette raising taxes on gifts to a point where they would be three-fourths of the estate tax rates. The latter levies are payable on transfers of estates after death. Gift taxes are applicable to transfers of property before death.

Borah, in urging adoption of his amendment to deny corporations the right to make consolidated returns, said such institutions were escaping millions of dollars in taxes.

Chairman Harrison of the Finance Committee argued for the committee proposal to raise the existing penalty tax for making consolidated returns from one to two per cent.

Harrison also opposed the Borah amendment to strike out the existing provision permitting corporations to deduct from income dividends received from other corporations.

Senator Glass, Democrat, Virginia, supported the amendment, asserting holding companies in the field of banking had "wrecked banks and created distress and misery."

"Delay" Is Dangerous When CONSTIPATED

End stuffs, clogged-up feeling, splitting headache, and other constipation ills with this more complete, more thorough action. Chew delicious Fec-a-mint, the chewing gum laxative. Fec-a-mint acts more thoroughly, because chewing distributes the laxative ingredient uniformly throughout the intestines to give a "full" more natural action. Fec-a-mint never shocks the system nor abuses the bowels. It is gentle safe. Promptly and thoroughly it causes the bowels to empty their waste and poisons. It helps rid you of logginess and helps make you feel more energetic, and fresh. Delicious Fec-a-mint, containing a laxative ingredient regularly prescribed by physicians, "Delay" is dangerous—chew Fec-a-mint for constipation. 10c and 50c at druggists everywhere.

To Probe Profits in War Factories

Investigation Next Fall Is Ordered by the Senate

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—With a view to shaping legislation to "take the profit out of war," the senate Thursday ordered an investigation by a special committee of seven into the manufacture and traffic in arms and munitions.

The inquiry, proposed by Senators Nye, Republican, North Dakota, and Vandenberg, Republican, Michigan, will be conducted next fall and will seek ways of making more stringent control of war implements in both the domestic and foreign trade. Availability of creating a government monopoly in armaments will be one of the things gone into.

The resolution was regarded as certain of passage, but action on it Thursday was by pure accident. Nye was proposing an amendment to the tax bill to raise income taxes 100 per cent and to conscript 98 per cent of all individual income over \$10,000 in time of war.

Chairman Harrison of the finance committee said he would consent to passage of the inquiry resolution and have the tax amendment made one of the subjects of investigation if Nye withdrew the amendment. He did.

The North Dakotan had urged his amendment as a means of "taking the prospective profit out of war." Vandenberg had termed it a "frontal attack on the commercial motive" for war.

Nye submitted figures showing how big corporations producing war materials and articles going into them increased their profits in times of hostilities.

Articles Needed for P.-T. A. Rummage Sale

Additional articles are needed for the Oglesby P.-T. A. rummage sale to be held on the streets here Saturday. Mrs. Leon Bundy announced. Any person wishing to contribute canned goods, old clothing or any other article is urged to get in touch with Mrs. Bundy or bring the articles to Oglesby school.

Strike Called in Tool-Die Industry

But Number in Walkout Is Believed Reduced to 3,800

DETROIT, Mich.—(AP)—A strike of tool and die workers in some of Detroit's 62 job plants, which had been threatened for several days, was called Thursday night by the Mechanics Educational Society of America, the tool and die workers organization. It was to be effective at midnight.

A general strike in the 62 job plants of Detroit was avoided through negotiation of separate agreements with 17 plants. These firms employ approximately 1,200 men and their continuance at their jobs reduces the number originally scheduled for a walkout at least to 3,800.

Strike at Toledo TOLEDO, Ohio.—(AP)—Two thousand workers at the Electric Autolite plant decided Thursday night to strike immediately as negotiations with officials of the company proved fruitless.

Thomas Ramsey, executive secretary of the United Automotive Workers' Federal Union, reported Arthur J. Minch, vice president of Autolite, had declined to accept the terms of a contract tendered him by the union and had, in turn, submitted one to the union which was not acceptable. Ramsey said the issue was a demand for a 3 per cent increase in wages, effective May 1.

Nash Strike Settled KENOSHA, Wis.—(AP)—Employees of the Nash Motor Company's plant voted late Thursday to accept new wage conversions from the company and end a strike which began six weeks ago.

Final settlement of the strike, involving 4,700 workers in Nash plants in Kenosha and Racine and the Seaman Body corporation in Milwaukee, is contingent upon action to be taken by the Seaman employees at a special meeting Friday afternoon.

The new offer submitted to members of the automobile workers' union here provides for wage increases of from five to 17 1/2 per cent in the local plant. The Labor Board's terms provide a flat 10 per cent raise above the wage scales prevailing in the Racine plant when the strike started there February 21.

I'VE TRIED TO WRITE A POEM ABOUT A JUICY STEAK—AND ALL THAT I CAN THINK OF IS—TRY ONE FOR GOODNESS SAKE!

A Tempting Juicy Steak is a poem in itself. The only way to get the real flavor out of the subject is to eat it. Every steak or chop sold by us lives up to the first class reputation enjoyed by this market. All of our meats are possessed of the proper food values.

STEAK, lb. 10c
STEW, lb. 5c
Fish and Dressed Hens
JAMES BROS. MARKET

Doctor, 76, Takes Third Bride



A difference of 56 years in their ages was no barrier in the December-May romance of twice-married Samuel Martin, 76, retired physician, and 20-year-old Ada Bell, whom he met a few months ago when he stopped at a filling station run by Miss Bell's father. The couple are shown leaving church after they were married in Mount Holly, N. J.

Green Laseter

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Purtle and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Wilson of Liberty Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lee and family of Cravat, Ark., are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Diley Lewallen this week.

Misses Jeanne Robertson and Ellen Byers visited with Miss Ruth Ann Cumble Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ross attended church at Oak Grove Sunday and were dinner guests of Harrison Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Lewallen spent the past week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Purtle of Guernsey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cumble Jr., were the Saturday night and Sunday guests of Mrs. Cumble's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wolff.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Frantz and family visited Sunday with Mrs. A. L. Caudle.

Rev. W. W. Fincher was the Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cumble.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hurston, Miss Faylee Boswell and Mrs. Florence Fincher spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Collier of Shover Springs and Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Wilson of Liberty Hill were

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Hope. Miss Remma Nell Mullins of Oak Grove was the Sunday guest of Miss Elsie Lee Mullins.

Sheppard

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Clayton is on the sick list, we hope for her a speedy recovery.

W. L. Cornelius had a pleasant trip to Prescott Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cornelius took their daughter, Lucille, to the doctor Monday.

Lucille, Christeen and Gladys Cornelius spent Sunday with Mrs. Clayton's children.

Mr. Chandler was shopping in Hope Saturday.

William and Clinton Chandler spent Sunday with Roy Cornelius.

Raymond Cornelius spent Saturday night with Kenneth Patrie of Guernsey.

Mrs. Pearl Cornelius was the dinner guest of Mrs. Julie Chandler Saturday.

Mrs. Johnston called on Mrs. Chandler Saturday morning.

Mr. Johnston was shopping in Hope Saturday.

Antioch

Joe Ferguson and Dr. Chastene of Prescott visited in the Mohon home Sunday afternoon.

Horace Hamilton of Liberty was visiting in our community Monday. Mrs. Lillian Campbell and daughter, Marie, spent the week-end with relatives near Ebelevins.

Mr. and Mrs. Bales and Mrs. West of Hope visited in the Harris home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mohon and children spent the week-end in Waldo.

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Pint Size 49c
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Pint Size 49c
McKESON RUBBING ALCOHOL 39c
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Grandmothers Bread 7c
Sliced or Regular 7c
PAN ROLLS—Dozen 5c
Delicious Raisin Bread 9c
Saturday Only—Loaf 9c

POTATOES—Peak Brand—10 lbs 21c

CARROTS EXTRA FANCY 2 bunches 5c

ORANGES FANCY CALIFORNIA—DOZEN 25c

APPLES—Fancy Winesap—2 dozen 25c

FANCY GREEN ONIONS—2 bunches 5c

OKRA—SQUASH—CAULIFLOWER

Flour VERI -24 Lb 79c 48 Lb \$1.52

SUGAR—Pure Cane 10 lbs 47c

K.C. Baking Powder—25 oz 17c

Pinto or Navy Beans—4 lbs 17c

8-O'CLOCK COFFEE—lb 19c

Encore Prepared SPAGHETTI—2 cans 13c

LUNA LAUNDRY SOAP—10 Bars 19c

BUFFALO MATCHES—6 Boxes 23c

Del Monte SPINACH—No. 2 can 10c

Del Monte SPINACH—2 No. 2 1/2 cans 25c

Sunnyfield CORN FLAKES—Large pkg. 10c

YUKON GINGER ALE—2-12 oz bottles 15c

HOMINY—2 Med cans 9c—Large can 8c

BOKAR COFFEE—"Supreme," Lb. 25c

RED CIRCLE COFFEE—Lb. 21c

Kraft's CREAM CHEESE SPREAD—Jar 17c

P & G or Crystal White Soap—10 Bars 29c

O. K. or Peet's White Soap—4 Bars 15c

Thrift "Health Soap"—6 Bars 19c

CIGARETTES—Popular Brands—2 pkgs. 33c

—MARKET SPECIALS—

CAT FISH—Sliced—lb 20c

Sliced Breakfast Bacon—lb 18c

BEEF ROAST FANCY WESTERN BEEF—Potrold 10c

LAMB SHOULDER ROAST—Lb. 15c

LEG—Pound 22c

PEANUT BUTTER—in bulk—lb 12c

CHEESE—Texas Longhorn—lb 19c

BULK SHORTENING—lb 8c

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A musical that's different!

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PHONE 8

STRAW • HAT

Saturday
April 14th

day

Saturday is Official
Straw Hat Day in Hope
... proclaimed by
Mayor Boyett and en-
dorsed by Hope Mer-
chants.

"Heavy, heavy, hangs over your head. What shall you do to redeem it." Buy a Straw Hat, of course, and discard that old felt! Saturday is Official Straw Hat Day and you'll forfeit your standing as an alert dresser if you are not among those who observe the dictum. To keep you headed in the right direction from a style angle the stores have made elaborate preparation for the event. You'll find the products of the most noted foreign and American makers. From tropical climes where natives have solved the problem of keeping cool heads with various braids ... novelties to us, necessities to them ... Panamas from South and Central America, Yeddos from Japan, Madagascars, Bangkoks from Siam, Balibuntls from Java, Bakus from Azerbaijan and Leghorns from Italy. Pick your preference but do not defer beyond Saturday or the penalty will be on your own head.



A Famous Beauty


HORIZONTAL:

- Who is the famous beauty in the picture?
- Insane.
- One receiving the title to property.
- Female sheep.
- Frozen deserts.
- To rub out.
- To scrutinize.
- Kingdom.
- Collection of facts.
- Adhered closely.
- Weaving frame.
- Portal.
- Credit (abbr.).
- Forest.
- Old French measure.
- Third note.
- Boy.
- Toots gently.
- Existed.
- To eject.
- To go away.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

VERTICAL:

- God or war.
- She is — by race.
- Not swift.
- Black haw.
- Debatable.
- Peruses.
- Cow's cry.
- Inevitable.
- Sloping way.
- To accomplish.
- Morindin dye.
- Long spar.
- To eat sparingly.
- Poverty.
- Incarnation on the teeth.
- Drink of the gods.
- Stream.
- Japanese fish.
- Incarnation of Vishnu.
- What is her title?
- Dry.
- To soak flax.
- 53 Street.
- 55 3.1416.



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By AHERN

YES, M'AD, THE LAST FEW DAYS I HAD BEEN FEELING TERRIBLE!—THE AVERAGE PERSON, IN MY CONDITION, WOULD HAVE GONE TO A HOSPITAL, EGAD!—BUT I RECALLED A SMALL BOTTLE OF MEDICINE IN MY TRUNK, GIVEN ME BY THE BLOND INDIANS OF THE UPPER AMAZON—A TRIBAL SECRET, AND ONE TEASPOONFUL CURED ME!

I CAN SMELL TH' STUFF!—IT HAS A SNIFF ALMOST LIKE BOURBON

YES—HE WAS TAKEN VERY ILL, WHEN HE OVERHEARD ME TALKING ABOUT GETTING THE UPSTAIRS WOODWORK CLEANED—AND HE RECOVERED HIS HEALTH WHEN JASON STARTED THE JOB!

SOME DAY I'LL GET THE FORMULA AND MAKE A FORTUNE!

WHALE AND HEARTY AGAIN =

OUT OUR WAY

By WILLIAMS

WE WERE DOWN TO SEE THE NEW ICE-MAKING MACHINE.

STAND UP THERE, LIKE A LADY AND A GENTLEMAN! SLOUCHING AROUND LIKE THAT!

THAT'S GOIN' TO PUT A BUNCH O' MEN OUT O' WORK, 'CUTTIN' ICE IN WINTER! HOW'S IT WORK?

GOSH! THIS IS OUR FIFTH STOP!

BORN THIRTY YEARS TOO SOON.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Friday the Thirteenth!

By MARTIN

OH, I'M IN NO LARGE HURRY—SO, WHILE YOU'RE LUGGIN' TH' GAS OVER TO TH' PLANE, I'LL JUS' KINDA LOOK AROUND

OKAY! BUT, WHAT I CAN'T FIGGER OUT IS WHY TH' SAME HILL VE DIDN'T LAND AT TH' AIRPORT! IT'S JES OVER TH' GULLY AWAYS

AIRPORT? GEE, S'FUNNY I DIDN'T SEE IT

WELL, NO—I RECKON TAIN'T Y'SEE, WE AIN'T EXACTLY BEGUN WORK ON IT YET

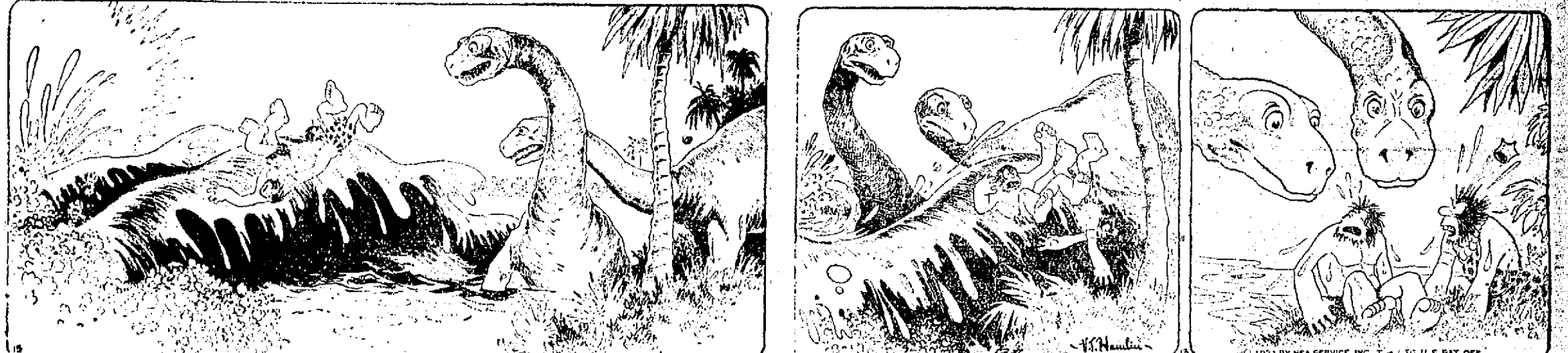
COME 'THINK OF IT, WE AIN'T DECIDED JES WHERE WE'RE GONNA PUT TH' DANG THING

OKAY, PAL—OKAY! TODAY IS FRIDAY TH' THIRTEENTH ANYWAY, SO LET'S JUS' LET IT GO AT THAT

ALLEY OOP

Just a Hoodoo!

By HAMLIN



WASH TUBBS

Stumped!

By CRANE

STEP ON IT, IKE, RIVERS SAID THEY WAS AHEADIN' FER BUFFALO GAP.

AT THE SAME TIME, THE SHERIFF AND TWO DEPUTIES LEAVE TOWN, HOPING TO HEAD THE BANDITS OFF AT THE MEXICAN BORDER.

MEANWHILE, WASH AND EASY HAVE LOST THE TRAIL.

SAND! THE BLASTED WIND'S COVERED UP THEIR TRACKS

IT'S A CINCH THEY WENT UP THIS GAP.

HUM! I'M NOT SO SURE, PODNER. THEY'RE NOT IN SIGHT ANY LONGER, AND THERE'S 50 CANYONS THEY MIGHT O' TURNED UP.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Scuttle Scrams!

By BLOSSER

MR. SCUTTLE LEFT SHADYSIDE IN A HURRY! HE SEEMED HIGHLY AGITATED... BUT WHY ???

DOES THE NEXT TRAIN BACK FROM DANFORTH, ARRIVE IN PORT STOCKTON IN TIME TO CONNECT WITH ANY BOATS?

DOGGONE, SUH, AH REALLY DON' KNOW !!

WELL, I WANT TO MAKE CONNECTIONS WITH A STEAMER... AND I DON'T WANT TO BE DELAYED!

WHY, MISTAH... YOU SHOULDA TAKEN A LOCAL FROM SHADYSIDE OVAH TO PORT STOCKTON... IT'S ONLY FIVE MINUTES !!

HMM...

YOU IS ONLY 'WASTIN' TIME, GOIN' CLEAR UP TO DANFORTH AN' DEN BACK-TRACKIN' TO SHADYSIDE, JUS' TO KETCH A BOAT... LOOKS TO ME LIKE YOU HAS INVENTED A NEW WAY O' GETTIN' NOWHERE

NEVER MIND THAT! ALL I WANT TO KNOW IS THIS: DOES THIS TRAIN GO TO DANFORTH?

WELL, BOSS, TH' BOARD O' DIRECTORS, TH' STATION-MASTER, TH' SIGNALMAN, TH' GUARD, TH' ENGINEER AN' MAHELF THINKS SO... OUTSIDE O' THAT, AH ISN'T SURE !!

THE NEWFANGLES (Mom'n Pop)

All Bound 'Round!

By COWAN

AFTER SEARCHING THE WOODS, IN VAIN, FOR THE ESCAPED CONVICT, THE POSSE DISCOVERED THAT THE TRUCK, WHICH WAS LEFT IN DEACON DALTON'S HANDS, WAS GONE !!

THERE'S SOMETHIN' MIGHTY STRANGE ABOUT THIS!

I WONDER WHERE THE DEACON DROVE TO

THIS IS ABOUT WHERE V/E LEFT IT!

YEP, THIS IS THE PLACE, ALL RIGHT

WHAT'S THAT?

IT'S THE DEACON !!

HE'S TIED UP !!

HE'S GAGGED !!

UG-OOP!

OOF!

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NOTE—Want ads may be charged with the understanding that the bill is payable on presentation of statement, before the first publication.

Phone 768

Baseball League Will Open Sunday

Junior Circuit to Make Its Bow at Fouke, Arkansas

TEXARKANA—The inauguration of the Junior Baseball League to cover North Louisiana, East Texas, and Miller county, Arkansas, will be held at Fouke, Arkansas, Sunday afternoon, April 15.

Two sound trucks will be furnished for the following persons to offer brief addresses on the occasion:

Steve Carriagan of Hope, Dexter Bush of Texarkana, Millard Alford of Texarkana, and Louis Joseph of Texarkana.

The Texarkana Arkansas High School Band will furnish the music for the day. There will be a flag-raising ceremony, and one or two interesting baseball games. Other important persons besides the ones mentioned, from both Texas and Arkansas, are to make short talks. Special buses are to be operated from Texarkana and Shreveport for the day. All entertainment is free.

PERSONAL

"GOSPEL," foot much better. Expected to see you last week. Write or phone me. "Bubbles." 13-2tp

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern 5 room house completely furnished. Hardwood floors throughout. Phone 450 or 731-W. 13-3t-c

FOR RENT—Room adjoining bath with board. Bryan's Boarding House. Phone 374-W. 13-3tp

FOR RENT—Six room furnished house. Brookwood addition, Mrs. J. E. Schooley. Phone 1638-F-4. 11-3tp

NOTICE

NOTICE STOCK BREEDERS—You are invited to see my breeding stock. I have the best horse in this section of the country. Also a splendid jack hard to beat for good mules. Located just out of Hope on Rocky Mount road. Services any day except Saturday. \$10 to insure colt. L. C. Somerville. Phone 815-J. 6-tp

Bird Shingles. Hope Bldg. Mat. Co.

LOST

FOUND—Boys bicycle, good tires. Owner may identify and claim same by paying for this advertisement. Hope Police Dept. 13-3tc

LOST—Levantine Seter bitch, white and black, brown over eyes. Reward. Phone 840.

LOST—Black and white female Seter, six months old. Reward for return. Phone Otis Gilbert, Columbia, Ark. 11-3tp

WANTED

WANTED TO RENT—Four or five rooms within three miles of town with or without average. A. B. C. Hope Star. 11-3tc

WANTED—Unfurnished apartment, or house 4-6 rooms. Call W. E. Hussman, Hope Star 768.

Best Paint Sold. Hope Bldg. Mat. Co.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—5 Ft. Size Frigidaire. Porcelain interior and exterior. \$50.00 cash. Hayes McKee. 13-3t-c

FOR SALE—Have a few more grapevine plants left, six varieties. J. E. Schooley. Phone 1638-F-4. 11-3tp

Special Weathervane "Silver Struck" Vacuum Cleaner, \$29.95 value—\$24.85. Terms: Harry W. Shiver, Plumbing and Electrical Appliance. Phone 239. 11-3tc

FOR SALE—Half and Half Cotton Sew. B. Coopwood, Prescott, Rt. 5. 9-26tp.

FOR SALE—Cotton Seed, Rowden 40, Coker's Farm Relief, Russell Big Bull Rowden. MONT'S SEED STORE. 7-6tc

Gloss-fast enamels. Hope Bldg. Mat. Co.

Let's Go Roller Skating Get Up a Party Skates 25c Admission Free HOPE ROLLER RINK

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Dorsey McKee Thomas Boyett
Phone 22 2nd & Shover

Cutten Is Accused of Selling Short

Blamed for Wheat Crash, Grain Board May Be Regulated

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Charges filed against Arthur Cutten, noted grain trader, were used Thursday by Chairman Jones of the house agriculture committee as the basis of his contention that the Chicago Board of Trade needs regulation.

Cutten was charged Wednesday by Secretary Wallace of the Department of Agriculture with a violation of the grain futures act.

Cutten will have a hearing at Chicago next month. He is reported to have been short several million bushels of wheat.

Cutten Is Accused

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Arthur W. Cutten was charged Wednesday by Secretary Wallace with not filing reports of short sales and making false reports to the Grain Futures Administration to manipulate grain prices.

The secretary cited the Chicago grain trader to appear May 14 for a hearing at Chicago. Seth Thomas, solicitor for the Department of Agriculture, said that if the charges were substantiated an order would be issued directing all contract markets to refuse trading privileges to Cutten.

The citation said Cutten "conspired and colluded" with firms and persons on the Chicago Board of Trade "to conceal his trading and position in the market" and so "made inaccurate, incorrect and false reports of his position in the market."

During 1930 and 1931, the complaint declared, Cutten sold wheat futures in excess of 100,000,000 bushels. It said that during 1930 he sold wheat futures short in excess of 37,000,000 bushels and in 1931 was short in excess of 36,000,000 bushels.

"In the year 1930, during the time he had an open position in the market, he was short 79 per cent of the time, and in the year 1931, during the time he had an open position in the market, he was short 89 per cent of the time," the complaint said.

He had "an open position in the

Store Sales Show Huge March Gain

St. Louis (This) District Up 49%—Up 34% on First 3 Months

WASHINGTON—(AP)—A big jump in March department store sales, which put them 44 per cent ahead of March, 1933, was announced Wednesday by the Federal Reserve Board.

Every Reserve district shared in the increased trade reported by 511 stores in 153 cities. The value of sales rose 27 per cent between January 1 and March 31 as compared with the same quarter last year.

The Atlanta district showed the largest increase over March a year ago, with 71 per cent. The Cleveland area came next with 67, and the Dallas region third with 58. The three leaders in the rise since January 1 were Atlanta with 43 per cent, Dallas with 41 and Cleveland with 36.

The respective percentages of increase between March, 1934, and March, 1933, and between the first quarter this year and the first quarter of 1933 was given by districts as follows:

Boston, 43 and 24; New York, 32 and 18; Philadelphia, 42 and 21; Cleveland, 41 and 36; Richmond, 52 and 28; Atlanta, 71 and 43; Chicago, 53 and 34; St. Louis, 49 and 34; Minneapolis, 29 and 20; Kansas City, 42 and 25; Dallas, 41 and 36; San Francisco, 40 and 21.

market on 582 trading days during 1930 and 1931 and he was short 493 of these days during the period covered by these operations "the price of wheat futures on the Board of Trade declined from \$1.34 1/2 per bushel for the July future on January 2, 1930, to 56 1/2 cents per bushel for the July future on December 31, 1931, a decline of more than 78 per cent per bushel."

Wallace charged that during 1930 Cutten did not report his position on 149 days and during 1931 did not report on 170 days. His maximum short positions were described as 7,515,000 bushels on June 24, 1930, and 6,700,000 bushels on April 10, 1931, none of which was reported to the administration.

House Committee to Probe Wirt Revolution Charge



"Brain trust revolution" charge made by Dr. William A. Wirt, Gary, Ind., educator, will be investigated by the special House committee shown here. Seated, left to right, are John J. O'Connor (Dem., N. Y.), Alfred Butwick (Dem., N. C.), chairman; and Frederick R. Lehigh (Rep., N. J.). In the back row, standing, are William W. Arnold (Dem., Ill.), left, and Harold McGuffin (Rep., Kan.).

Little Rock Second Bloodiest U.S. City

Of 13 Murder Cities in America 12 Are in the South

LITTLE ROCK—Little Rock had the second highest homicide rate of any city in the United States in 1933—a percentage of 32.5 per 100,000 persons, an increase from 44.8 per cent in 1932.

Dr. Frederick L. Hoffman of New York, consulting statistician, said in his annual report published in The Spectator, released Thursday.

The national homicide death rate was 10.7, Dr. Hoffman reported.

Dr. Hoffman reported a total of 45 homicides in Little Rock last year, and based his estimate on a population of 85,670.

Chief of Police Bennett Wednesday night took violent exception to the report of Dr. Hoffman, saying that it was in accurate and unfair.

"I do not know where Dr. Hoffman obtained his figures," Chief Bennett said, "but I have noticed that during recent years he has libeled the city in his reports."

"The Little Rock police records show that there were 19 homicides within the city limits in 1932, six in North Little Rock and 13 in the county, outside the corporate boundaries of both cities. The total number of homicides for the county for last year was only 41, and Dr. Hoffman has based his estimate of Little Rock upon a total of 45 for this city. It is manifestly unfair and should be corrected."

Dr. Hoffman's records were obtained from 180 American cities, and only Lexington, Ky., was ranged ahead of Little Rock, with a percentage of 33.5 per 100,000. Lexington's population was 47,062, he said, and he credited that city with 28 murders third with a rate of 58.8, while Birmingham, Ala., was fourth with 49.5 per cent. Thirteen cities had a rate of more than 30 per 100,000, and 12 of these "were Southern communities."

Putting New Heat in Labor War



Hot coffee, served by union waitresses, is "fortifying" pickets shown here on duty in the strike of 500 workers at the plant of the Sherwin-Williams Co., paint manufacturers, in Cleveland, O. The strikers demand a wage increase and Cleveland union painters have voted to aid them in their fight.

Jesus Teaches Forgiveness

Text: Matt. 18:15-35
The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for April 15.
By WM. E. GILROY, D. D.
Editor of Advance
There is no lesson that mankind

needs more to learn than the lesson of forgiveness.

Forgiveness is the center and soul of the gospel, for the gospel concerning Jesus Christ is the declaration to the world of God's mercy and of his willingness to forgive. If we believe that gospel in all its purity and simplicity, and look it into our lives with directness and sincerity, forgiveness would be the most outstanding thing in human life.

Yet, when we contrast this ideal with the actual picture of life, how great is the discrepancy! Even those who make the greatest profession of religion are often the most hard and relentless and unforgiving in their attitude when someone has done them some real or imagined wrong.

The professing Christian often can nurture for years resentful and vengeful feelings, utterly unmindful of his daily prayer to God for forgiveness and of the Lord's Prayer, when he taught us to pray that our trespasses may be forgiven as we forgive those who trespass against us.

Peter was typical of the earnest religious people who have never quite understood just what forgiveness means. Peter's question to Jesus, "Lord, how oft shall my brother sin against me, and I forgive him? till seven times?" proved conclusively that he did not understand the essential nature of forgiveness or the true attitude of the forgiving soul.

You cannot measure out forgiveness in parcels. You cannot say what wrongs shall be forgiven and what shall not be forgiven. If you understand the meaning of forgiveness, it flows toward seventy times seven offenses just as readily as it does toward seven.

Forgiveness is a regenerate attitude of mind and heart. It is an enlightened condition of the soul in which man's character and life are touched with the grace and mercy of God himself.

Forgiveness is something that cannot or put in the form of exact mathematical equations. It is not a matter of balancing a budget. It can never be an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth. It is always a matter of leaving something on the credit side.

The life of the true Christian is never in the red. There is always a surplus, a margin of profit, for forgiveness is the pouring out of magnanimity of soul, the assets of the divine in human life in the presence of meanness and sinfulness.

It is like the grace of God concerning which the hymn writer sang:

Its streams the whole creation reach
So plentiful is the store
Enough for all, enough for each
Enough for ever more.
Man is most like God in the character and act of forgiveness.

Rorex' \$7,500 Fee to Be Investigated

Payment in Claude Duty Case Unauthorized by Hal Norwood

LITTLE ROCK—Payment of a fee of \$7,500 by the old state Highway Commission to Sam Rorex, Little Rock lawyer, purportedly for helping former Assistant Attorney General Claude Duty defend the commission in three damage suits in 1932 is being investigated by the State Highway Audit Commission and the state comptroller's office, it was revealed Wednesday.

At a conference between State Comptroller Griffin Smith and Attorney General Hal L. Norwood it was brought out that the attorney general's office had not recommended that any specific amount be allowed the voucher issued by the Highway Department indicated that the attorney general had recommended the \$7,500 fee.

Comptroller Smith said he had asked State Treasurer Roy V. Leonard for detailed information as to what cash fund the allowance was paid from. He is seeking to learn whether the disbursement was legal. It was indicated that the Audit Commission will direct its inquiry toward establishing whether the fee was excessive for the services rendered.

The voucher was issued August 29, 1932, and a warrant was issued by the state auditor the following day, but the warrant was not cashed at the treasurer's office until March 6, 1933, the day before Governor Futrell signed an appropriation bill for operation of the department during the last five months of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1933.

The voucher bore the following endorsement:

"Fees in cases of Baer-Barnett and Perry vs. State Highway Commission, as special counsel in cases through Supreme Court, per resolution Highway Commission, August 17, 1932, and recommendation of attorney general as to amount of fee. See complete file in attorney general's office."

Mr. Norwood said Wednesday that he did not know Rorex had served as special counsel in the case and that he had not suggested or approved the amount of any fee allowed or paid by the Highway Commission in such cases.

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PURE JELLY—5 oz Jar	10c	OLEO—pound	10c
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